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WARNING

To reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, serious injury or death to persons, read the IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS in the Use and Care Guide before operating your washer.

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Determine Proper Cycle

Regular Cycle

Use for sturdy items, like play or work clothes, towels, T-shirts, etc. The wash time selection will depend on the type of fabric and the amount of soil. For the best results when cleaning heavily soiled items, use a longer wash time (15 minutes maximum). Lightly soiled items require less wash time.

There are three settings in the REGULAR cycle — Extra Clean, Normal and Light. The number shown next to these settings is the length of agitation in minutes. (For example: Setting the timer on Extra Clean will be a 15 minute agitation.)

Permanent Press Cycle

Use for permanent press items and synthetics. The wash time selection will depend upon the type of fabric and amount of soil.

There are two settings in the PERMANENT PRESS cycle — Normal and Light. The number shown next to these settings is the length of agitation in minutes. (For example: Setting the timer on Normal will be a nine minute agitation.)

Delicate Cycle

Wash delicate items usually washed by hand on this cycle. A full tub of water is recommended (even for small loads) to allow the delicate items to move freely through the water. More water helps reduce fabric wear, wrinkling, and provides for a clean wash.

There are two settings in the DELICATE cycle — Normal and Light. The number shown next to these settings is the length of time in minutes. (For example: Setting the timer on Normal will be nine minutes, including short periods of agitation and long periods of soaking.)

Soak/Prewash

Use for heavily soiled or stained clothing. During the SOAK setting, the washtub will fill with water, pause for approximately 12 minutes, and will spin out to complete the cycle.

During the PREWASH setting, the washtub will fill with water and agitate for a reduced period of time.

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To Wash Clothes

IMPORTANT: Before using your new washer, make sure the washer cord is plugged into a 120 Volt electrical outlet that has the proper grounding and polarity. Make sure the washer hoses are connected to the hot and cold water faucets, and that the faucets are turned on. Be sure the drain hose is not kinked and is inserted into a drain. See the INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS for details of proper washer installation.

IMPORTANT: Prior to first wash, use an all purpose cleaner, or a detergent and water solution, and a damp cloth to remove shipping dust from inside of washtub.

1. Get the clothes ready for washing. Empty pockets and cuffs. Sort items into separate loads. Pretreat stains and heavily soiled areas.

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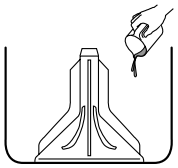
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2. Measure and add detergent to the washtub.

3. Add clothes loosely into the washtub.

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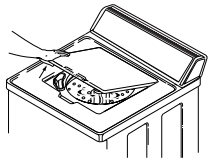
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4. Close the loading door. The washer will not agitate or spin with the loading door open.

WARNING

To reduce the risk of serious injury, do not by-pass the loading door switch by permitting the washer to agitate or spin with the loading door open.

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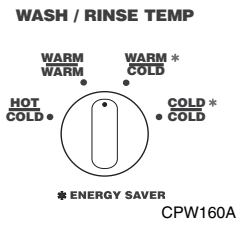
5. Set WASH/RINSE temperatures.



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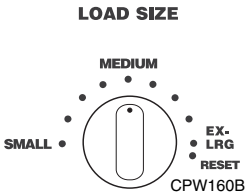
NOTE: Do not use a warm rinse with permanent press or other synthetic fabrics. A warm rinse can cause wrinkling in some garments. Cold rinses will save you money and energy and will help reduce wrinkling in permanent press and synthetics.

When using the DELICATE cycle, a WARM rinse is not available. If the WASH/RINSE selector is set on WARM/WARM, it will still give a COLD rinse. This is to assure proper care of delicate items.

The Energy Saver settings, marked with an asterisk (*), show which temperature settings will use the least energy.

6. Set LOAD SIZE (WATER LEVEL) control. Use RESET if agitation has started and more water is needed.



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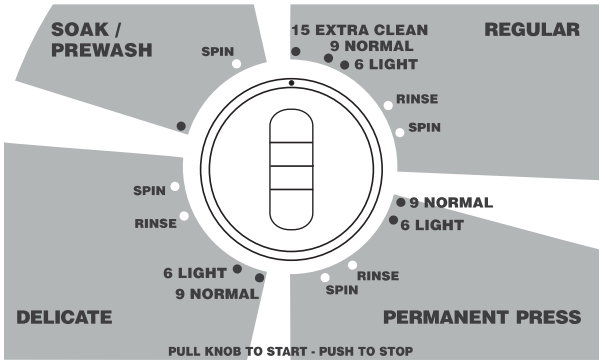
IMPORTANT: Holding the LOAD SIZE (WATER LEVEL) control in the RESET position can cause flooding of the washer.

7. Select the cycle according to the type of fabric being washed. Push the timer knob in and turn clockwise to the desired cycle and wash time.



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8. Pull the timer knob out to start the water fill. Agitation will begin when the water reaches the level you selected.

   The washer will stop (pause) shortly before the wash and rinse spins. Do not turn the timer through these pauses. They are part of the cycle.

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Timer

Although the washer cycles are automatic, the timer may be reset to lengthen, shorten or repeat a portion of a cycle.

To set or reset the timer, push timer knob in to stop the washer. Hold timer knob in firmly while turning it clockwise to the setting desired. Pull timer knob out to start the washer.

Manual Soaking

Set the timer knob in the center of the word "RINSE" (this prevents the washer from spinning without first filling with water). Place the soaking product and clothes load in the washtub. Pull timer knob to start washer fill. After fill is completed and agitation has started, push the timer knob in. This will stop the washer. When the clothes have soaked the desired length of time, TURN THE TIMER KNOB TO THE END OF THE RINSE SETTING, then pull the timer knob out to start the spin.

CAUTION

Failure to turn the timer knob to the spin cycle and completely draining the washtub after soaking will result in the washer overflowing and causing property damage.

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